

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 02491-0036

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Johannes Arndt et al.

Application No.: 10/529,268

Filed: September 29, 2005

For: Steel Composition and Parts  
Forged by a Forging Die

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) Group Art Unit: 1742  
) Examiner: To be Assigned  
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) Confirmation No.: 4350  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE**

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 31, 2007, Applicants elect Group I and claims 1 and 2 for further prosecution in this application.

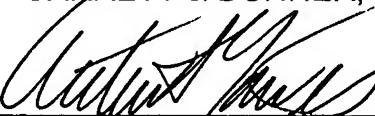
Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected claims.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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